Appl. No. 10/029,868 SENG BENG HO Supplemental Preliminary Amendment

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application as presently amended and in light of the following discussion is respectfully requested.

Claims 20-28 are active in the application, with Claims 6-19 having been cancelled and Claims 20-28 having been amended by way of the present supplemental preliminary amendment.

Support for new Claims 20-28 is found in Applicants' originally filed specification.¹ No new matter is added.

Accordingly, in view of the present amendment, examination on the merits of Claims 20-28 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable consideration is hereby respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ Specification, disclosure of Figures 5-6.